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It was on the anniversary day of Christ's ascension, in 1794, as the belie of the beautiful conservations present into the wide gates. A very pleasant sight it was to look at —the picturesque dresses of the foot-travelers, the white veils, the beautiful women adorned with flowers, and the proud men bearing little twigs of orange blossoms on their breasts. Every every beamed of the loy and happiness. The glowing sun hestswed one more parting, fervert kiss on all those brown and rosy cheeks, encircled once more in its arms of light those powerful figures, and then gently drew the manife of evening o'er its lustrous face.

The windows of the little church were lighted the lotter of the support of the manifest of the longer of the support of the lotter of the lott

ed up. Within the edifice, the dim light of the consecrated candles was hardly powerful enough to penetrate the thick clouds of incense which around. A sweet twilight prevailed,—the statue of the Holy Lucy was nearly covered with flowers and wreaths, and looked like to a queen of May;—the priest stretched out his arms in blessings, the devout multitude fell on their knees:—from the high, cenecaled choir resounded the "Kyrie Eleison" of the picture of the Holy Lucy; we must not bear it any longurous nums. How softly and soothingly they glided down, those gentle voices,—how splendid, and majestic, and elevating was the earnest, so lemn melody of the Maestro Palestrina! Clear

Wound up like a clock, and then sings all sorts of the line of the St. Louis and Terre Haute road? Those people have a natural right to an access to market; they do not ask the State to aid them in making a road, but merely to legelize their own improvement. It seems to us when the clear, loud, flute-like tones filled our cause that we fell a cold shudder come over us when the clear, loud, flute-like tones filled our that a free people ought to have a right to me confirmed.

"I DIGEST!" Such is the true meaning of the word "FEP-SIN," or of the two Greek words from which it is derived to aid them in making a road, but merely to legelize their own improvement. It seems to us that a free people ought to have a right to any improvement of the such that a free people ought to have a right to deny them that privilege, in order to promote its own ger; we must annihilate, destroy it, and all saints will protect us in such a work!" exclaimed a third.

We may be mistaken; Alton and Quiney may lave a right to all the legislation, all the prosperity at the expense of the St. Louis and Terre Haute road? Those people have a natural right to a did them in making a road, but merely to legelize their own improvement. It seems to us that a free people ought to have a right to deny them that privilege, in order to promote its own ger; and that a city (?) has n

Suddenly there sounded in the "Gleria" a sosoftness, but full and high, it resounded in the their cells.

the impression that it always had been the same, is being educated in this cloister." and would remain the same for ever.

The people were greatly affected. "Holy Maria!" murmured an old dame; "that

was no mortal tone !"

And crossing herself quickly, she silently prayed. The frightened, black-haired maiden next her nodded assent, and whispered the ex- and feel her warm breath!" clamation to a kneeling man near, whose anx-

The mass was ended. The women left the church in great agitation, the men shook their heads; every one spoke of those magic tones; no one could tell the name of the hidden singer -The candles were extinguished, and the charming twilight-darkness of an Italian night closed over all the thousand queries, doubts, shudders, formed of purest wax, beamed the regular, colorand exclamations.

When, the next day, morning the laughing. beaming morning of Italy, glanced with its lov-ing eye into the little church, it marvelled to Every eye wandered with an expression of intense expectation to the choir from which sounded the horary prayers. Again arose that mysterious voice, and again it trembled through every heart in a mixture of joy and fear indesin the cloister of the Holy Lucy bacame large-evanimous shout rang through the air :

But the number of devotees who, in silenc a ph acknowledged with thanks the supposed miracle, art was small in comparison to the number of those Mot long after, Mother Theresa sent the wonwas small in comparison to the number of those was small in comparison to the number of those who—heads and hearts filled with endless supderful little child-singer away from the convent in outting fire wood for the house, when the ax some. "But at all events she is an adult, cer- came—the whole world knows it-in a short tainly eighteen or nincteen years of age, and has, time, the great Catalani. Europe lay on its perhaps, the figure of a child on account of her knees before her; and what a treasure of splenyoung nuns, Barbara's sister; we are quite sure such adoration! of its the child only listened in silence!"—"That of Hitha child only listened in silence ! - That is false! interrupted some of the women, "a miracle has been shown us; the Holy Lucy has ins & Blair, arrived here on Sunday morning in was decided not to hold the customary inaugura-

hastily around the speaker. He continued: "Yes, "Glory enough for One Day?"-State Policy Triumphant! listen to me, I will make it as plain as day! We received the following dispatch last eve-

lemn melody of the Maestro Palestrina! Clear Wild excitement agitated the incensed multi- that the farmer has no right to make or travel wild excitement agitated the incensed multitude. The women pictured to themselves the
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and understood not a syllable of the sacred text.

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sound at the end of the "Gloria." "The clockwork had run down!" they whispered to each
other. The men became more and more heated
by their own excited conversation, and the gentlest of women glowed at the flamming glances of rejoicingly to Heaven, now sank, as though re-strained by soft invisible fetters of flowers, their husbands, lovers, brothers; a general pilweeping in blessedness to beloved earth. It grimage to the cloister was decided upon, in or- notice a communication from Hon. Wm. Thom-

butterflies bathed themselves in the balsamic air; prano voice whose surprising and unexpected the stars, looking like little moonbeams, decked tones tore the devout multitude ruthlessly from the boundless heavens;—the countless multitude their sweet lethargy. The voice was of a ring- marched noisily and in great agitation to the ing clearness, nearly culting in its purity, over quiet cloister, thundered at its ivy-covered gates, ject, who are informed in regard to the matter, powering in its fulness. The tone had nothing and demanded instant admission. The fright-express the opinion that such is the case, and in common with the other sopranos, it blended ened Abbess hurried to meet the impatient we will risk the prediction that the road will not with the others-alone, without that melting crowd; with a cry of terror, the nuns flew to

the end, however, in the great and mighty that you believe your mother Theresa capable "Agnus Dei" and "dona nobis pacem," it sounded once more, cutting through, like a triumphant, sharp, glittering spear, the thick floating clouds of incense. No excitement, no agitation atone for your sins!—for that voice which has trembled in it—no youthful fear, no aged confidence pervaded those tones; it was like a voice from the breast of a blassed shift from the blassed shift from dence pervaded those tones; it was like a voice from the breast of a blessed child, from the in- tion of 34,000; whereas, the Naples and Hanniwithout age, without sex-a voice which made nocent lips of a young girl from Sinigagli, who bal read will accommodate but a small portion

eral wild voices.

"Yes, yes; we must see the little witch; we

must hear her talk; touch her face and hands,

And still more threatening were their looks, ious eyes sought in vain to penetrate the railings still louder the confused cries. The exhortations of the holy Abbess were set at naught, and the usually so quiet eleister-yard was now filled with rough voices.

Mother Theresa suddenly vanished;—she quickly returned, however, leading a gentle, pale, trembling little girl, who stepped forward in front of the restless multitude. As though less countenance of the child, under the black. smoothly-parted hair, and anxiously gazed her wide-opened, dark eyes at the strange expressive countenances before her, "Angelica," softfind already another multitude gathered together. ly said the Abbess, "do not fear! be courageous, ielp thy mother Theresa, and this erring people! lift up thy voice, and sing greeting to the Queen of Heaven!

Angelica opened her little lips, and com-menced an old and simple "Salve Regma," but cribable, and again the listeners wondered.— with such power, such purity and exaltation. Suddenly a young and blooming maid exclaimed aloud, tremblingly and ardently: "Holy Queen of Heaven, I see the wonder! Help. Maria! Such earnest peace of mind, such perfect innoof Heaven, I see the wonder! Help. Maria! Such earnest pence of mind, such perfect innotit is a singing child!" And in truth, one could distinguish behind the railing the gentle figure of a girl of some ten summers, out of whose open lips gushed forth the marvellous tones. The countenance of the child appeared to be of marked regularity, but the beautiful figure seemed almost lifeless, and a deep paleness pervaded the youthful cheeks. From the moment of this singer, and on the carnest, serious countenance. youthful cheeks. From the moment of this singer, and on the carnest, serious countenance of the agitation of the multitude became of the agitated Abbess. As Angelica anded, greater and greater. Day after day, the people crowded in long processions to the cloister to hear the strange little singer, whose voice could be plainly distinguished even in the fullest chorus; and the news of the powerful tones of that hands of the smiling girl, her rosy cheeks, her little breast spread over the whole country, even tiny feet, her robe even—praised her with tears as far as Rome, and the transport of the masses as far as Rome, and the transport of the transport of the people uninterrupted intercourse with that city.—Pittsfield Free Press. "Evvisa Angelica Catalani !"

positions and doubts about the person of the -she could not bear the powerful disturbance accidentally slipped, and struck a son of Mr. singer-pressed in restless uneasiness from side of her quiet asylum. But she must have bitter- James, who was standing by, killing him in-"She is a boarder in the cloister," said by repented it, for out of the little Angelica be-No child sings sol"-"No. no," exclaimed did robes, necklaces, and glittering, crowns others, "you have been deceived; it is one of the would not the Holy Lucy have received from

sent the pieus Abbess Theresa an angel from charge of a drunken driver. The only passention ball, on the 4th March, in consequence of "What nonsense is that?" now ex- ger from Hannibal to Palmyra, was upset the domestic affliction of the President, and the claimed a powerful man, with a wise, mysterious countenance; "the whole thing is nothing but a shameful deception! they want to make is still here under the charge of a physician suf- part of the citizens to give Gen. Pierce a becomsome money out of us!"—The people crowded fering intensely from his injuries.—[Pal, Whig, ling reception.

JUDGE THOMAS ON STATE POLICY.

In the Morgan Journal of the 20th ult., we was as though the parting light in the being of der to demand the delivery of the flute-clock, the as upon the subject of the Naples and Hannibal tone escaped,—in all hearts fell wild rays, and all eyes imagined the little church illuminated in a wonderful manner.

Railroad, which, we think, lacks an important feature in the value of either opinion or argument, viz: Candor. We think, though we may be mistaken, that Judge T. believes the Northern Cross Railroad Company does not intend to build the road from Quincy to Meredosia. Mest of those with whom we have spoken on the subnever be built by the present company. As we said before, we think the Judge is informed as arches of the little sanctuary.

Amazement and incredulity were visible in the "Credo" the magic voice was hushed; in its place came another and a softer one—at the end have are in the great and might be exclaimed, "is it possible to the intentions of the company, and we therefore say that his opposition to the Pike county road is neither just nor candid.

We have neither room nor inclination to no-

being educated in this cloister."

"We want to see the child!" exclaimed sev- Upon the former road, we can reach the Mis-The people became inflamed anew at the State, on PREE soil."

We hope the city of Hannibal will be found studying her own interest in this matter. The oad can be so constructed as to make a canal for ferrying in times of high water, thus giving

Painful Bereavement,
Intelligence has been received at Jefferson
City of the sudden and most distressing death of a son of B. A. James, Esq., State Senator from stantly. The boy was about five years of age. So sudden a bereavement has been a source of

Washington, January 28. At a meeting of the Democratic citizens, nembers of Congress and others, at the U. S. From the Pittsmeld Free Press.

An inquest was this morning held over the A NEGRO WOMAN—a good cook and washer.

An inquest was this morning held over the A feb3-tf. Apply at this office. was in company with another man, engaged in the woods, chopping and making rails; and occupied a small hut as a shelter from the weather. This morning near the hour of three he died.—
The verdict of the jury was that there being no marks of violence upon his person, it is the opinion of the jury that he came to his death in a fit, brought on by the intemperate use of ardent spirits. He was a man of about 22 years of age.

This is the fourth individual that has come to the woods, chopping and making rails; and occupied a small hut as a shelter from the weather.

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And would just say to you that if you want a gem of superior style, or a picture of excellence and taste, just give me a call, and I will prove it to your satisfaction. I work very cheap, almost for nothing, and find the stuff. Then bring your pins, rings and lockets, and have them filled with pictures that will never fade.

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feature in the value of either opinion or argument, viz: Candor. We think, though we may be mistaken, that Judge T. believes the Northern childhood, do now recommend her as a teacher, and a childhood, do now recommend her as a teacher, and a young lady possessing an excellent character. She has taught school not far from where I live, and I believe she has always given great satisfaction. I like wise have been acquested with the pare his of Miss Smith upwards of thirty years, a family very much respected by all who are acquainted with the ma, and I know they are not Roman Catholics, and never have been, but are true Protestants, for I have worshiped

in the same church with them for years.

JOSEPH SNELLING,

Minister in M. E. C.

Methuen, December 24th, 1852.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Dec. 27th, 1852.
Having been acquainted with Miss Martha M.
Smith, a former resident of this town, but now Principal of the Hannibal Female Seminary, (near St.
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